Food Security Act – Treatment

NO TILL (acre)

Definition

Planting and growing crops without tillage between successive crops.

Purpose

To reduce soil erosion; help maintain or develop good soil tilth, efficient moistrue use, enhance water quality; and provide food and cover for wildlife.

Conditions Where Practice Applies

On all truck crop land.

SPECIFICATIONS

The soil is left undisturbed from harvest to planting except for nutrient injection.

At least 30 percent of the soil surface is covered by residue after planting.

Weed control is accomplished primarily with herbicides.